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**HEWLETT-PACKARD COMPANY** PATENT APPLICATION Intellectual Property Administration P.O. Box 272400 200310816-1 ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. Fort Collins, Colorado 80527-2400 Confirmation No.: 1159 Inventor(s): Debargha Mukherjee et al Examiner: BATES, Kevin T. Application No.: 10/724284 Filing Date: Group Art Unit: 2155 Nov 26, 2003 Title: Method And Apparatus For Applying Receiving Attributes Using Constraints. **Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner For Patents** PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application: Response/Amendment Petition to extend time to respond Supplemental Declaration New fee as calculated below No additional fee Fee\$ Other CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY (1) FOR (2) CLAIMS REMAINING ADDITIÓNAL NUMBER HIGHEST NUMBER PRESENT RATE **FEES EXTRA** PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR **EXTRA** AFTER AMENDMENT TOTAL MINUS \$50 \$ **CLAIMS** 0 X 0 INDEP. MINUS \$200 X 0 \$ 0 CLAIMS + FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM \$360 \$ 0 П EXTENSION 1st Month 2nd Month 3rd Month 4th Month \$ 0 \$1020 \$1590 FEE \$120 \$ OTHER FEES TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT 0 Charge \$ 0 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any over payment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed. Respectfully submitted, I hereby certify that this paper is being Debargha Mukherjee et al transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office facsimile number (571) 273-8300.

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Method And Apparatus For Applying Receiving Attributes Using

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#### RESPONSE A TO OFFICE ACTION (Restriction)

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action requesting Restriction of the claims mailed July 31, 2007, Applicants respectfully submit this Response A. Applicants hereby elect Invention II claims 11-19 and 33-34 for examination and withdraws without prejudice or disclaimer claims 1-10, 20-32 and 35-36.

Examination on the merits is respectfully requested for claims 11-19 and 33-34.

Respectfully Submitted on Behalf of Applicants Debargha Mukherjee et al.

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